

heard from Chairman Nadler, Chairman Lofgren, and Representatives Fitzgerald and Roy.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1103)

H.R. 8454, to expand research on cannabidiol and marijuana. Signed on December 2, 2022. (Public Law 117–215)

H.J. Res. 100, to provide for a resolution with respect to the unresolved disputes between certain railroads represented by the National Carriers' Conference Committee of the National Railway Labor Conference and certain of their employees. Signed on December 2, 2022. (Public Law 117–216)

S. 3826, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1304 4th Avenue in Canyon, Texas, as the "Gary James Fletcher Post Office Building". Signed on December 2, 2022. (Public Law 117–217)

S. 3884, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 404 U.S. Highway 41 North in Baraga, Michigan, as the "Cora Reynolds Anderson Post Office". Signed on December 2, 2022. (Public Law 117–218)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: to hold hearings to examine the 2023 Farm Bill, focusing on research programs, 10 a.m., SR–328A.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH–219.

House

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Diversity and Inclusion, hearing entitled "Unfinished Business: A Review of Progress Made and a Plan to Achieve Full Economic Inclusion for Every American", 11 a.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Investor Protection, Entrepreneurship and Capital Markets, hearing entitled "E, S, G and W: Examining Private Sector Disclosure of Workforce Management, Investment, and Diversity Data", 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Subcommittee on the Middle East, North Africa, and Global Counterterrorism, hearing entitled "Confronting Yemen's Humanitarian and Political Crises Without a Ceasefire", 10 a.m., 2200 Rayburn and Webex.

Full Committee, markup on H. Res. 1456, of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Secretary of State to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the conclusion of the Department of State on whether Marc Fogel is wrongfully detained; H. Res. 1482, of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Secretary of Defense and Secretary of State to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to Congressionally appropriated funds to the nation of Ukraine from January 20, 2021 to November 15, 2022; H.R. 9374, the "Countering Malign Russian Activities Globally Act"; H.R. 9243, the "Providing Appropriate Recognition and Treatment Needed to Enhance Relations with ASEAN Act"; H.R. 8654, the "End Tuberculosis Now Act"; H. Res. 1481, urging United States policy toward Guatemala to support the rule of law and address challenges of kleptocracy, organized crime, private and public sector corruption, illicit campaign financing, criminalization of and attacks on justice operators, journalists, and human rights defenders, and restrictions resulting in the closure of civic space; and H. Con. Res. 110, commending the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran demonstrating in more than 80 cities and risking their safety to speak out against the Iranian regime's human rights abuses, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Lessons from the Field: Overcrowding in National Parks", 1 p.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Full Committee, markup on H. Res. 1479, of inquiry requesting the President transmit certain documents in his possession to the House of Representatives relating to the surveillance or monitoring of prog-gun, pro-life, or conservative groups under the Internet Covert Operations Program operated by the United States Postal Inspection Service; and several postal naming measures, 1 p.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Building a Safer Antarctic Research Environment", 1 p.m., 2318 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Small Business, Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Regulations, hearing entitled "Building Sustainable Businesses through Employee Ownership at SBA", 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity, hearing entitled "Transitional Housing Reform: Examining the Future of the VA Grant and Per Diem Program", 10 a.m., HVC–210 and Zoom.

Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Solving the Climate Crisis: Key Accomplishments, Additional Opportunities, and the Need for Continued Action", 1:15 p.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of December 6 through December 9, 2022

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Frances Kay Behm, of Michigan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 12 noon. Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Kelley Brisbon Hodge, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania at 2:20 p.m. If cloture is invoked on either of the nominations, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 4:30 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: December 6, to hold hearings to examine the 2023 Farm Bill, focusing on research programs, 10 a.m., SR-328A.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: December 7, business meeting to consider the nominations of Anthony Rosario Coscia, of New Jersey, David Michael Capozzi, of Maryland, Christopher Koos, of Illinois, Samuel E. Lathem, of Delaware, and Robin Lee Wiessmann, of Pennsylvania, each to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors, Robert E. Primus, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board, Sue Ellen Moore, of Washington, and Andrew J. Read, of North Carolina, both to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission, Rubydee Calvert, of Wyoming, and Diane Susan Kaplan, of Alaska, both to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, and routine lists in the Coast Guard, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Foreign Relations: December 7, business meeting to consider S. 3386, to prevent, treat, and cure tuberculosis globally, S. 4824, to provide for proper oversight of North Korea policy, S. 4064, to facilitate the development of a whole-of-government strategy for nuclear cooperation and nuclear exports, S. 4509, to provide for security in the Black Sea region, S. 4996, to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2020 to modify the establishment of a coordinator for detained ISIS members and relevant displaced populations in Syria, S. 4955, to amend certain authorities relating to human rights violations and abuses in Ukraine, S. Con. Res. 47, commending the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran demonstrating in more than 80 cities and risking their safety to speak out against the Iranian regime's human rights abuses, S. Con. Res. 16, commemorating the 30th anniversary of Operation Provide Comfort, S. Res. 713, recognizing Russian actions in Ukraine as a genocide, S. Res. 472, reaffirming the partnership between the United States and the Dominican Republic and advancing opportunities to deepen diplo-

matic, economic, and security cooperation between the two nations, S. Res. 730, remembering the 30th anniversary of the bombing of the Embassy of Israel in Buenos Aires on March 17, 1992, the 28th anniversary of the bombing of the Argentine-Israeli Mutual Association building in Buenos Aires on July 18, 1994, and committing to efforts to uphold justice for the victims of the attacks, S. Res. 322, reaffirming the alliance between the United States and Bulgaria, congratulating Bulgaria on its July 11, 2021 parliamentary elections, and calling for continued progress in Bulgaria towards combating corruption, respecting the freedom of the press, and protecting minority rights, S. Res. 650, recognizing May 28 as "World Hunger Day", that the 90th anniversary of the Ukrainian Famine of 1932-1933, known as the Holodomor, should serve as a reminder of repressive Soviet policies against the people of Ukraine, and that Vladimir Putin's illegal war against Ukraine has diminished Ukraine's agricultural output and threatens to exacerbate the problems of global hunger on World Hunger Day, H.R. 7240, to reauthorize the READ Act, the nominations of Joey R. Hood, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia, Lucy Tamlyn, of Rhode Island, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Jessica Davis Ba, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire, and Rachna Sachdeva Korhonen, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 10 a.m., S-116, Capitol.

Committee on the Judiciary: December 8, business meeting to consider the nominations of DeAndrea Gist Benjamin, of South Carolina, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, Robert Stewart Ballou, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Virginia, Todd E. Edelman, to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, Kymberly Kathryn Evanson, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington, Myong J. Joun, to be United States District Judge for the District of Massachusetts, and Colleen R. Lawless, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, 9 a.m., SH-216.

Select Committee on Intelligence: December 6, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

House Committees

Committee on Financial Services, December 7, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "An Enduring Legacy: The Role of Financial Institutions in the Horrors of Slavery and the Need for Atone-ment, Part II", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, December 7, Subcommittee on Asia, the Pacific, Central Asia, and Non-proliferation, hearing entitled "Understanding and Addressing Challenges in the Mekong Region", 10 a.m., 2200 Rayburn and Webex.

December 7, Subcommittee on International Development, International Organizations, and Global Corporate